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RESPONSE TO THE NOTICE OF INCOMPLETE REPLY
NON-PROVISIONAL APPLICATION

Dear Sir:

In response to the "Notice of Incomplete Reply Non-Provisional Application" mailed by the United States Patent and Trademark Office on March 8, 2002, the following document is enclosed to complete the filing of the above-identified patent application:

1. Submission of Formal Drawings consisting of twelve (12) sheets;
2. Petition for Extension of Time (five months); and
3. Copy of the Notice of Incomplete Reply (Non-Provisional).

The United States Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge the following fees to Deposit Account No. 19-2386:

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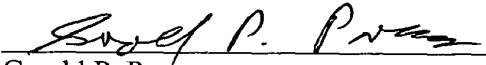
Dear Sir:

Applicant(s) submit(s) twelve (12) sheets of formal drawings, consisting of Figures 1, 2, 3A, 3B, 4A, 4B, 5A, 5B, 6A, 6B, 7A, 7B, 8A, 8B, 9A, 9B, 10, 11, 12A, 12B, 13A, 13B, 14A, 14B, 15A, 15B, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22A, 22B, 23A, 23B, 24A, 24B, 25A, 25B, 26A, and 26B, in the above-named application. If there are any questions regarding these drawings, please call the undersigned at (415) 217-6000.

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It is hereby respectfully submitted that the enclosed documents complete the filing of the above patent application and justify the filing date of August 8, 2001. Please telephone the undersigned at (415) 217-6000, if there are any questions. This form is being submitted in duplicate.

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NOTICE OF INCOMPLETE REPLY (NONPROVISIONAL)

Filing Date Granted

The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office has received your reply on 11/02/2001 to the Notice to File Missing Parts (Notice) mailed 09/28/2001 and it has been entered into the nonprovisional application. The reply, however, does not include the following items required in the Notice.

The period of reply remains as set forth in the Notice. You may, however, obtain EXTENSIONS OF TIME under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 (a) accompanied by the appropriate fee (37 CFR 1.17(a)).

A complete reply must be timely filed to prevent ABANDONMENT of the above-identified application.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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